

State of Delaware Public Employment Relations Board

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NOTICE OF BARGAINING UNIT DETERMINATION

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION TO CERTIFY THE BARGAINING UNIT INVOLVING:

ODYSSEY CHARTER SCHOOL EDUCATION

ASSOCIATION, DSEA/NEA, : REP 18-08-1156

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and : CERTIFICATION

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ODYSSEY CHARTER SCHOOL.

DATED: October 4, 2018

As a result of the October 4, 2018 decision in this matter, the following determinations are made:

- Custodians share a community of interest with and are appropriate for inclusion in the proposed bargaining unit. Odyssey Charter School personnel employed in part-time Custodian positions are eligible to vote in the October 16, 2018 representation election to be conducted by the Public Employment Relations Board.
- The Upper/High School Guidance Counselor is an administrative employee within the meaning of 14 <u>Del.C.</u> §4002(o). Consequently, this position is not eligible to be represented for purposes of collective bargaining and <u>is not eligible</u> to vote in the October 16 election.
- By agreement of the parties, the 3 Greek Language Teachers, the Speech Therapist, the Specialist/Staff and Student Development and Instructional Coach, and the Specialist/Staff and Student Development positions are INCLUDED in the proposed bargaining unit. Consequently, OCS staff holding these positions are eligible to vote in the October 16, 2018 representation election.
- By agreement of the parties, the 4 Student Advisors, the Student Services Manager, the IT Manager, and the Facilities Manager are EXCLUDED from the proposed bargaining unit. Consequently, these position are not eligible to vote in the October 16 election.

WHEREFORE, THE APPROPRIATE BARGAINING UNIT, AS CLARIFIED HEREIN, IS DETERMINED TO BE:

ALL CERTIFICATED AND NON-CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL EMPLOYED BY THE ODYSSEY CHARTER SCHOOL INCLUDING TEACHERS AND SPECIALISTS (School

Counselors, Nurses, School Psychologists) **AND SUPPORT STAFF** (including Paraprofessionals, Facilities and Custodial personnel)

This bargaining unit specifically excludes administrative and supervisory personnel, secretaries, food service workers and substitutes.

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